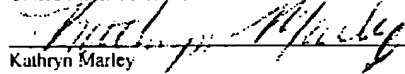


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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed 22 October 1003, Applicants request the following amendments in the above-referenced application:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.

A request for a 3-month extension of time is enclosed herewith along with the required fee.

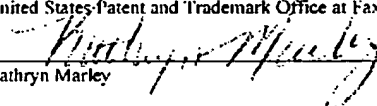
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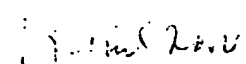
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In connection with the above-referenced U. S. patent application, transmitted herewith are the following papers:

1. Response to 22 October 2003 Office Action;
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3. Form PTO-2038 in payment of Extension Fee of \$475 for a three-month extension for a small entity.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge any underpayment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-0869 (RXSD 1017-1US), which may be required.

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